FIGHT ON THE EXCISE BILL

BENT BACK TO THE COMMITTEE WITH THREE MORE AMENDMENTS.

Only 61 Votes Against a Motton to Strike Out the Enneting Clause-It Goes Over with All of the Political Legislation, Un til the Murphy-Albany Fight to Settled-Gor, Flower on the Escape of Personal Property from Taxation,

ALBANY, March 31 .- After three hours' dehate the Excise bill, which came up on its final passage in the Assembly this morning. went back to the Excise Committee, where I will stay until its authors can get sixty-five votes for it. At the most there were only six-ty-one votes this morning, and the bill went over, with all of the political legislauntil the Murphy-Albany fight settled. The bill as it came up before the Assembly to-day had been amended in the Excise Committee until the Liquor Dealers' Association, which originally sent it to Albany, could hardly recognize their offspring. The Sunday selling clause was stricken out in the committee, and in the shape that the bill came up to-day it was little more than a codification of the existing excise laws, with the addition of a special all-night icense and a new grading and classification of the licenses, which does not essentially differ from the present law, except in clearness. It had been found that the majority of neither House would agree to the original radical bill. and the present bill, which was substantially prepared by the Statutory Revision Commission, was substituted for it.

Chairman Foley of the Excise Committee explained these facts to the Assembly, and said that the bill was no liquor dealers' bill, but more a codification of the existing laws, with restrictions and changes which would tend to make the business of liquor selling more remake the business of liquor selling more respectable and responsible. Personally he thought that the lawful sale of ale, wine, and beer on Sunday would decrease crime, but that had been omitted from the bill.

Then amendments to the bill were proposed. The first one came from Mr. Woodbury, who wanted certain special laws in regard to the election of Excise Commissioners in some localities retained. His amendment was adopted by a vote of 57 to 53.

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Mr. Laing of the county next to Mr. Woodbury's explained that in his votes on the bill and its amendments he had to confess that he was intimidated by a woman for whom he had the greatest affection and respect, and that he would defer his judgment and wishes to hers. It was understood that she is Mr. Laing's wife, and she has decided views of her own on excise logistation.

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Mr. McManus offered an amendment that in cities the Excise Commissioners be co-terminous with the Mayor, so that every Mayor should have the appointment of his own Commissioners. Gen. Husted said that it was a good amendment. Mr. Bush said that it brought the excise question into politics. The amendment was carried by a vote of 60 to 54.

Mr. Foley saw from these votes that he had not enough support present to pass his bill, so he had a cail of the House. It showed that several Republicans and two Democrats (Finzian of Rockland and La Grange of Albany) were absent. Mr. La Grange had been present, but he had skipped. The Assembly waited for an hour while the Sergeant-at-Arms tried to find Mr. La Grange. When the Bergeant-at-Arms came back he reported that he understood that Mr. La Grange had left town.

Mr. Malone of Kings offered an amendment that Excise Commissioners should be removable by the Mayor without confirmation of the removal by the Governor. The vote in favor of that amendment was 58 to 55.

Mr. Reileck, who is a Republican druggist, offered an amendment that licenses to sell ilquor might be issued to druggists in small towns. That amendment was lost by a vote of 20 to 83. One of the chief things that killed it was a speech of Mr. Dry Dollar Bullivan, who said:

was a speech of Mr. Dry Dollar Sullivan, who said:

It's time all us liquor dealers stood together. I vote aye with Brother Selleck. I believe in free liquor, and that a man has a right to get it where he can."

There was a good deal of turbulence, and Mr. Dry Dollar Sullivan said to Gen. Baid Lagle and ex-Speaker James Wm. Husted that he did not propose to have any ex-Speaker buildoze him.

Gen. Husted moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill. That motion was lost by a vote of 56 to til.

The sixty-one votes represent the full strength for the bill under the present circumstances, and they include the vote of Mr. Kinne, who was paired with Mr. Pierson on political questions. Mr. Kinne said that he did not understand this was a political question.

he says:

This bill is intended to remedy an evil which has existed for a long time, and which sarnest legislators have sought in vain to correct in previous legislative seasions. Atthough the wealth of the State has been rapidly increasing, the assessed valuation of personal property has been steadily decreasing during the last two decades, until now it actually amounts to more than \$70,000,000 less than the assessed valuation of personal property in 1871. The law has afforded a ready means for the escape of personal property from taxation, by allowing deductions in the assessment of personal underly for all "just debte." property from taxation, by allowing deductions in the assessment of personal property for all "just debta." It is believed that debts have been temporarily con-tracted for the sole purpose of evading taxation, and that by this device a large share of personal property has escaped any taxation whateover. This method of wason has, I am informed, been sustained as leval by the courte, and the assessors have had no remedy un-

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The apirit of the law being plainly opposed to such evasions, it is therefore adviaable to streagthen it so as to reduce such evasions to the lowest possible degree. This is what the measure before me aims to do. If probabilist he deduction from assessment of personal property of il debts for the purchase of non-taxable property, guarantor, endorser, or otherwise, and (3) debts contracted for the purpose of evading taxation. This legislation ought to increase greatly the proportion of taxas yielded by personal property, and to do much toward equalizing the burdens of taxation.

The Senate passed the Walker bill protaxes yielded by personal property, and to do much toward equalizing the burdens of taxation.

The Senate passed the Walker bill providing that a tenement house, in New York, must be one which has four instead of three families as now, and the Foley bill, to increase the term of Aldermen in New York to two years; the McCarty Electrical Subway, Twelifth Ward Boundary and additional Brooklyn wards bills, and the bill to improve Alderman Coffey's property at the expense of the city of Brooklyn; the Ocean Parkway bill, the \$80,000 Metropolitan Museum of Art appropriation, the Connolly \$50,000 Museum of Natural History appropriation, the bill to allow the National Guard to adopt the new United States tactics, the \$35,000 appropriation for dredging the Hudson River between Coxsackie and Troy, and the Guenther bill to create a State Board of Architects.

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After a number of amendments the Senate Passed the Cantor bill to incorporate the General Electric Company, which may have a capital of \$5,000,000, and which need not pay the full incorporation tax. It is to pay a lump aum of \$10,000 to the State on its incorporation.

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A letter of George Washington's to Gen. Irrine was read in the Senate as authority for the passage of the bill appropriating \$10,000 for improved so as the state of Gen. Washington and that he thought Conewango Creek should be improved so as to make an outlet from Chautauqua Lake toward Lake Eric. It is over a hundred years since the letter was written, and there is not yet an outlet from Chautauqua Lake to Lake Eric the incorporation of the being the 40th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, and the other Sulzer bill to allow New York city to spend \$50,000 in celebrating the anniversary.

The Congress Apportionment bill was a special order in the Senate passed the Juli to parmit the New York Coroners to draw their salaries without accounting for the foes they received. In celebration of the Democratic break the Baid Eagle of Westchester, alias Gen. James without accounting for the foes they received. In celebration of the Democratic break the Baid Eagle of Westchester, alias Gen. James without accounting for the foes they received. In celebration of the Democratic break the Baid Eagle of Westchester, alias Gen. James without accounting for the foes they received. In elebration of the Democratic break the Baid Eagle of Westchester, alias Gen. James we may behappyet Husted, but on his most respendent attire to-day. He wore a gorgeous, defantly red scarf, with a big red scarf pin that might be used for the handle of a cane, the wore a plain suit of clothes to show off the Senate of the situation of the theory of the transition of the their salaries without accounting for the foes they received. The Assembly Committee on Contosted Senates of the situation of the salaries of the salaries of the situation of the sector of the salaries of the situation of the sector of the sector of the salaries of the situation of the salaries of the situation of the se

BURNING OF MANDALAY.

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RANGOON, March 31.—Further particulars have been received of the destruction of Mandalay by fire. The destruction of the tele-graph office at Mandalay renders the transmission of news difficult, as all has to be sent from the nearest station, and the whole country is full of refugees bearing all sorts of rumors. It is known that the Burmese capi-tal is largely swept out of existence, and that the royal palace, which witnessed Thebaw's slaughter of his royal hundred, and which since the disposition of that monster has been the headquarters of British administration at Mandalay, is destroyed, with all its relics of the time when Burmah was an empire.

The palace was of wood, and, alone with other buildings connected with the court was surrounded by a wooden stockade, making the royal abode a separate city. In one of these buildings the female relatives of Thebaw were strangled while the Princes were put to death in the courtyard. The loss of the palace is not considered serious by the British, as, notwithstanding its horrid associations, the native Burmese regarded it with great reverence as the former abode of their kings, and its very existence tended to keep alive the old loyalty to the former royal family.

kings, and its very existence tended to keep alive the old loyalty to the former royal family. Indeed, the British authorities have been discussing the subject of demolishing the palace as soon as they should be provided with adequate accommodations elsewhere, and it is feared the knowledge of this fact may cause a false impression among the Burmese in regard to the origin of the fire, which has made many thousands homeless.

It is believed the loss of life is much greater than at first reported, as many of the bamboo dwellings were wrapped in flames in an instant, the fire sweeping from house to house as though fed by tinder. Since the British occupation an effort has been made to establish a fire department of natives under British direction, and some efficiency in this respect has been stained. But no fire department, however efficient, could stay the flames in such an inflammable city as Mandalay. Many persons are said to have lost their lives by running madly into the river to escape from the flames, and the next station below reports that bodies have been seen floating down.

Thousands of families, without food or cover, slept in the fields last night, and unless food, tenes, and clothing be sent from other cities many are likely to succumb. The surgeons of the garrison are entirely unable to treat a quarter of those suffering from burns, fractured limbs, and fright.

The British and native soldiers and the Mandalay police succeeded in saving many of the new brick buildings erected since the British took possession. The whole native portion of the city is practically obliterated. Most of the buildings saved have been converted into hospitals for the sick and dying. Measures have been taken to bury the dead bodies as fast as they are taken from the nahes and identified. In the ruins of several houses the bodies of whole families have been found. The search is conducted by the soldery and police, as the nativos are too much paniestricken to help in the work.

Last night there was a great fire in this city.

THE DYNAMITER CAUGHT.

Ravachol Proves to be a Desperate Crim-inal who was Wanted for Murder,

PARIS, March 31.-The Paris Echo says that Ravachol admitted to-day that he was the author of the Boulevard St. Germain explosion, though later he denied it. The chief detective admits that Chanmentin, an accomplice of Ravachol, who is now under arrest, told the police that Rayachol intended to blow up the house of M. Bulot, one of the prosecuting counsel in the recent Anarchist trials. Ravactol lived at St. Mande, near the Wood of Vincennes, four miles southeast of Paris. He was seen going to Paris on Sunday morning. the day of the explosion, carrying with him a small portmanteau. In his confession Rayachol acknowledged

that he did not proses to have any exBesker buildoze him pose to have any exGen. Hussed moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill. That motion was lost by a vote of 56 to il.

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Gov. Flower filed with the bill to prevent the eacape of personal property from taxation, which he has signed a memorrandum in which he has signed, a memorrandum in which he has signed and the correct in previous legislative sessions, although the wealth of the State has b the murder of the old hermit of Notre Dame de Grace. He denied the murder of an old

dynamite outrages in St. Germain and the Rus Clichy.

Ravachol dresses well, and evidently had no idea that the polics would be able to detect him. He was betrayed by the Anarchist Chaumentin, previously arrested, and in whose house at St. Denis the police seized a quantity of sulphate of potassium, cyanide of potassium, nitric acid, gunpowder, six Hotchkiss shells, and other articles indicating that he was engaged in manufacturing explosive macnines.

Mr. Dinkelspiel's Reason for Gambling. LONDON, March 31.-William Dinkelspiel the American insurance man, whose bankruptcy has been announced, said to-day: "My gam-bling was all done in my own house. I lived but practically nothing but an investment of this kind induced business. I invested £2,000 in this manner, while I carned in commissions during the past two years over £18,000. My relations with Fisher Smith, the London manager of the New York Life insurance Company, were straight. I have heard nothing of being out £3,000 by having to return premiums. The £3,000 due Col. North is simply commissions due him on introductions he gave me to friends.

"My business was among the representative men of Great Britain, who insure up to £10,000 or £20,000. Baron von Stern, my largest creditor, is an Austrian doctor, who in January, 1891, entered into partnership with me and paid me a bonus of £5,000. He was disantisfied, and withdrew. To show my good feeling I proposed to return his money by making monthly payments. I have already repuld him £1,000. ment of this kind induced business. I invested

Notes of Foreign Happenings.

The revenue of the British Government for the fiscal year ending yesterday was £98,576,-

The Portuguese Cabinet crisis has been averted by the Cortos giving the Government a year in which to lay the Azores cable. This will enable the Minister of Public Works to negotiate with the company, English or French, offering the best terms.

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The corporation of Liverpool has referred to a committee a request from the Inman steamship line asking for improved facilities for the landing and embarkation of passengers to and from America. In view of the agitation about the absorption of British passenger and other traffic by German lines, the matter attracts considerable attention in Liverpool.

Accused of Bragging His Baughter After Pirranuage, March 31.—Information was nade to-day by Agent O'Brien of the Humane Society against Benjamin Ayers of Turtletown Society against Benjamin Ayers of Turtletown for inhuman treatment of his 10-year-old daughter Hazel. O'Brien swears that Ayers wont on horseback on Sunday to John Matchett's house, where she worked, in Clarton, two and a haif miles from Turtletown, and while the family were at church fastened a strap to his daughter's arm, and, mounting his horse, dragged her through the mud to his home. There he whipped her with a black-snake whip until she became exhausted. She is in a critical condition and may die. His daughter refused to give him her wages.

Mr. Grace's L'ropaganda.

William R. Grace explained to about forty members of the Lexington Democratic Club at their rooms 109 East 110th street, last at their rooms 100 East 110th street, last evening what he proposes to do to get Grover Cleveiand nominated by the Democratio National Convention at Chicago. He said that the Cleveland faction would go to Chicago hacked by the names of 150,000 Democrats of this State.

"We will go," he said, "not only with the expectation of being admitted, but feeling that we have the right to be admitted."

Forty-two signatures were obtained of those favoring Cleveland's nomination.

LIVE WASHINGTON TOPICS.

THE KLLIS ISLAND BUSINESS TO BE THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

Chairman Stump Belleves That There Mat Been Some Resealty and to Determined to Unearth It-The Maitby House, Purchased by the Government, to Banger of Falling Down-The Sliver Situation in the House of Representatives. WARHINGTON, March 31.-The joint Commit-

tee on Immigration, engaged in the investi-gation of Ellis Island expenditures, will hold a session to-morrow morning, when the Super-intendent of Immigration, Mr. Owen, and the Supervising Architect of the Treasury, Mr. Edbrook, will be examined. Mr. Owen's testi-Gen. Nettleton is almost entirely responsible for the management or mismanagement of Ellis Island matters. Mr. Edbrook will be asked to ings and other work done under his direction. There has been some criticism of the fact that Major Hibbard, Superin-tendent of Construction, and the Ellis Island contractors have not been summoned to appear before the committee. Senator Chandler and Representative Stump say that the criticisms are unwarranted, in view of the fact affairs, who has any knowledge about what work was done and what money was spent. are down on the list of witnesses, and will be examined at the earliest opportunity. Major Hibbard has already been notified informally that his testimony will be asked. Chairman Stump of the House committee,

who has been absent from the city for two days, said to-night that he is determined to go to the bottom of the whole business, and that Senator Chandler joins with him in the desire to uncover whatever wrongdoing has been carried on. It has been agreed by the two Chairmen that so long as the Senate and House committees agree on the line of investigation they shall conduct it together, but that if politics or other considerations should arise to embarrass the thoroughness of the investigation or interfere with the exposure of any guilty persons, no matter who they are or who their friends may be, at that moment the committees will part company, and each or either committee go it alone in a determined effort to get at the exact and entire truth. Chairman Stump thinks there has been some rascality going on, and he means to uncarth it if its possible to do so. He has decided, with this end in view, to employ one or two building experts to go to Ellis Island, make an examination, and submit to the committee a detailed report as to the character of the materials used in the construction of the buildings and the estimated value of all classes of work performed by the Government contractors in putting the island into proper shape for occupancy as an immigrant station. The experts will be assigned to those duties at once, and Mr. Strump is confident that their reports will show the unlawful and wasteful expenditure of large sums of money. Mr. Stump says there is no partisan side to his investigation, but that he is simply convinced that there has been a combination of contractors and officials to committee go to New York and personally examine a number of persons who are down on the list as possessing information of value to the investigating committees.

In the Pension Office investigation to-day to uncover whatever wrongdoing has been

In the Pension Office investigation to-day the case of J. G. Chapman, pension attorney of New Haven, Conn., was brought up. Com-missioner Raum said that Chapman had a very poor idea of the law, but had a great many influential friends, among them Sena-tor Platt. Chapman had been twice disbarred from practice before the Pension Office. His reinstatement and last conviction for tak-ing illegal fees occurred several weeks ago and followed close upon each other. "A few days ago," said Mr. Enloe. "I asked you if you had a special examiner (Sprosser of Pitta-burgh) called to Washington to spot newspa-per offices." New Haven, Conn., was brought up. Comper offices."
He was not here to spot." said Commissioner Raum. "I called him here to make some observations in regard to Mr. Fleming."
"What sort of observations?" asked Mr.

Gov. McKinley of Ohio arrived in Washington this morning en route to Rhode Island, where he will take part in the State campaign, which closes on Wednesday next. The Governor's attention was called to the challenge by the Chairman of the Rhode Island Democratic Committee to him to engage in a joint debate with Gov. Campbell on Saturday night. His only response was: "Why wouldn't it be better and more satisfactory to put up Cleveland against me?"

He was informed that this morning's despatches from New York were to the effect that the ex-President would not be able to visit Rhode Island.

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to day ordered a favorable report on the resolution introduced by Mr. Chipman for inquiry
into the operation of the anti-Jewish laws of
Russia on American citizens. The resolution
directs the President to inform Congress
whether by the laws and regulations of the
empire of Russia concerning Jews any American citizens are subject to restrictions as to
residence and business in Russia which violate
the provisions of article I of the treaty of 1832
between the United States and Russia, and
whether the laws and regulations are held by
the Government of Russia to superseds, so far
as American Jews are concerned, the provisions of the treaty permitting sojourn and
residence of inhabitants of the United States
in all parts of territories of Russia in order to
attend to their own affairs. day ordered a favorable report on the resolu-

Mme. Montt, wife of the Chilian Minister, gave a farewell luncheon yesterday. She will accompany her husband on Tuesday next to New York, where they will sail on the 10th prox. for Paris and a tour of the Continent before returning to Chill, where Minister Montt has been elected a member of the new Congress. Mrs. and Miss Del Campo will accompany Minister and Mms. Montt on their European trip.

Mrs. Leila Morse Rummel, daughter of th late Prof. Morse of telegraphic fame, has ad dressed a letter to the Joint Committee on Li dressed a letter to the Joint Committee on Library, protesting against the passage of the bill introduced by Senator McPherson for the purchase, for \$10,000, from Stephen Vail of New York city, of the original telegraphic recording receiver invented by his father, Arthur Vail, and used upon the first telegraph line ever constructed between Washington and Baltimora. She says that her father's claim to have been the sole inventor of the original telegraph instrument has been established by undoubted proof, and had been upheld by a decision of the United States Supreme Court, and she begs to be spared the necessity of fighting over again the battle that her father won in support of the originality of his invention.

Representative Bland of Missourl, speaking of the proposition advanced by a large num-ber of Democrate to bring in a cloture rule to secure a vote on the Sliver bill said to-day that much misunderstanding existed through-out the country regarding the proposition

A "Personal" from Marion Harland. February 13th, 1892.

"In spite of my protest the Royal Baking Powder Co. continues to use a recommendation of Royal Baking Powder given by me several years ago."

"Since then my views and practice with regard to the powder manufactured by this Company have undergone a radical change. I give decided preference to a pure cream-of-tartar-and-soda mixture. For this reason Cleveland's Baking Powder is insteady use in my kitchen."

The rule that the Speaker had intended to report to the House was not a cloture rule. further than that it is in aid of the previous question, and this had been the cloture rule of the House for fifty years. The rule proposed was simply a rule to prevent fillbustering by declaring it out of order for the Speaker to entertain motions of a fillbustering character. The enemies of the Silver bill learned that the Speaker intended to report such a rule, and immediately raised a cry against "Cloture," and a great many new members were misled.

The seeming earnestness displayed by the free coinage men in the House to secure signatures to the petition asking the Committee on Rules to bring a cloture rule corder to secure a vote on the Silver bill is said to be part of a little game in politics to secure the support of the third party men for the rule. The out-and-out farmers' Alliance men are not inclined to favor cloture, but the free coinage Democrats believe that they will be induced to sign the petition by reason of the large number of Democratic members who are said to have attached their names to it. This statement is made on the authority of one of the free coinage leaders. Some of the Democrats who have signed the settion have asserted that they will withdraw their names if the number of signatures gets dangerously near the number of signatures gets dangerously near the number required by Speaker Crisp.

Representative Cummings has received the following letter from Commissioner Raum:

DETARMENT OF THE INTERIOR, BURNAGO OF PRESIONS. |
WASHINGTON, Barel 28, 1882. |
The Hom, Amos J. Cummings, House of Representatives.

DEAR NIE: I have your allo for status in the case of Warren Colwell, concerning which I wrote you some days ago. Mr. Coiwell has written to over thirty prominent persons alleging that he cannot hear from his claim. His claim has been rejected and he has been regularly informed. Very truly yours.

GREEN B. RAUM. Commissioner.

Such applications injure not only the man making them, but also hinder the applications of honest pensioners. Owing to the receipt of similar letters, many Congressmen in the House have agreed to pay no attention to applications for pensions from outside their districts.

MR. PARSONS WISHES TO EXPLAIN. Give Him an Early Hearing.

Samuel Parsons, Jr., Superintendent of Parks, called at THE SUN office yesterday norning with a big roll of documents, and said that at the hearing before the Commissioners of Accounts on Wednesday afternoon cartain implications had been made reflecting upon im in regard to exercising a certain favoritism in purchasing plants for the parks. Mr. Parsons's father and brother are in the nursery business.

Superintendent Parsons said that he went refere the Commissioners yesterday morning and asked for a hearing at any time during the day to explain the method of purchasing plants for the public parks. The Commissioners put him off, he said, and told him they couldn't give him a hearing at present. They would call him when they wanted him, they

Mr. Parsons has been Superintendent ten years. He did not desire to make a detailed statement to the public at present, but was prepared to meet the implications which he says were made at the meeting of the Com-

WAS LAWLOR MURDERED? His Hody was Fished Out of the River

POUGHEREPSIE, March 31 .- John Lawlor and Timothy Conlan of Rhinecliff were drinking freely at Herrick's Hotel, Rhinecliff, on last Sunday afternoon. On Monday morning Lawler was missing. His cousing Michael Lawlor, asked Conlan what had become of him. Conlan said they attended church on Sunday morning, and, after drinking at Herrick's, each had purchased a New York. Congress purchased it for the use of special committees of the Senate, private rooms for Democratic Senators who are not Chairmen of committees, and for storecoms for certain bureaus. The rooms assigned to the Senators have not yet been furnished, because the contingent fund of the Senate is running low. Now it is learned that the building is settling so rapidly that it bids fair to fall down at an early day. It is already regarded as so unsafe that the occupants are asking to be assigned rooms elsewhere. Several of the Senators who were delighted at the prospect of having a private room so near the Capitol are afraid to move in. The building was put up a few years ago on made ground, through which an immense sewer passes. Many years ago an open stream, known as the "Blue Creek" or Tiber Creek, flowed over the course of what is now a bricked-in sewer.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections to-day examined the accounts of Mr. Clagget, the unsuccessful contestant from Florida for Senate from Hat State, and Mr. Davidson, the unsuccessful contestant from that State, and Mr. Davidson. These amounts are expected to cover the sums they expended in the contests.

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Protended to be a Manitary Inspector. Ernest Lorsar, 17 years old, small, pale, and thin, was arrested at 260 Mottstreet last night charged with impersonating an officer of the Health Department, Nanetta Havalone Health Department. Nanetta Havalone. Louise Frerara, and Christina Menella, Italian women, complained to the Mulberry street police that Lorsar came to their house and said that he was a health inspector sent to examine the women. When Lorsar was arrested he made offers of money and other things to the policemen for his release. He said that he lived with his father, George Lorsar, who is the leader of an orchestra, at 75 East 108th street. Lorsar told the police that he was a medical student in search of experience.

Custom House Bemovals. Collector Hendricks yesterday removed John E. Cahnian and John W. Kennedy, assistant weighers. The Collector sise removed Joseph H. Hade, night inspector.

Easter Noveliles at the Gorbam Manufa The exchange of Easter gifts has come to be reco

nized as one of the features of that glad time. Of late years the number of appropriate souvenirs has been multiplied. This season the assortment overtops all former records, leading silversmiths such as the "Gorham Manufacturing Company," failing into lin with a host of pretty trifles, purposely evolved with a eye to catering to this custom. At this establishme not a few of these articles represent a considerable aum of money; on the other hand, a very large propor tion are within the reach of almost any one. Amen, the especially dainty taking specimens are photo graph frames in fillegree and in piecoed silver of every graph; frames in filigree and in pierced silver of every size, shape, and price. Instead of enclosing a photo-graph, an appropriate Easter motto about be in-serted when the frame is sent to its prospective owner. Menu holders of silver-something entirely new—the rococo border surrounding an appropriate carved device of a chef bearing a steaming piatter— take wonderfully with Easter aboppers. Cologne bot-tle hulders, with and without handles, is gold and in silver, a variety in openwork basket pattern; plush pincushions of all sizes, mounted in aliver; tiny silver slippers, decorated with a bow knot of gold, which also represents a pincushion; hundreds of honbon holders in gold and in aliver in the shape of trays and baskets, a leaf design representing brouse and green tints alien-nating with the silver; small silver wases in many de-signs, and silver clocks not more than three inches high and about half the width, are also eagerly appropriated. Then there are hosts of protty trinkets, such as ha pins, chatelaines, shoe clasps, and scarf holders, not to speak of the array of ensinelled jewelry, which appeals

Marion Harland

MARINE INTRILIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—TRIS DAY.
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Se Jason, Cook, Nontego Bay,
Se Clement, Lancaster, Para,
Se Alert, Hauge, Sagus,
Se Regrissions Abbey, Sarnett, Hamburg,
Se Trinidad, Fraser, Sermada,
Se Carlisle, Raddle, Cardiff,
Se City of St. Augustine, Ray, Fernandina,
Se City of St. Augustine, Ray, Fernandina,
Se Il Sol, Hawthorns, New Orleana,
Se Nacooches, Muitt, Savannah,
Se Old Dominios, Couch, Norfolk,
Ship Cora, Ray, Hayre,
Sark Binos Aspasia, Molinari, Macoria,
Bark Cavlisa, Maggiola, Lephorn,
Bart H. J. Libby, Sebater, Saltimora,
Bark Violet, Harding, Dunkirk,
[For later arrivals see First Page,] (For later arrivals see First Pare)

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DIED. AHERN.-On March 51, at Jersey City Heights, Wai

ter J. Abern, aged 6 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his aprente, 405 Pavonia av., on Priday, April 1, at 9:50 o'clock A. M.

A HE ENS. -On Wednesday, March 80, 1892, after a lingering lilness, Albert Abrens, the beloved hus band of Mary Abrens, in his Slat year.
The friends, relatives, and members of Steuben Lodge, No. 183, I. O. O. F., are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 1,582 Gates av. on Sunday afternoon, April 3, at 2 o'clock.

AMMETT.-On Tuesday, March 29, 1892, John W. Basett, at Coons. Florida.

Bay 1,188,—On Wednesday, March 30, at Hartford. Conn., James E. Bayllas,
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his

late residence on Friday afternoon.

BERRENT'T'.-On March 29, at Jersey City, Wil liam Berrentt, aged 66 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 349 Palisade av., on Friday after noon at 2 o'clock.

CEARS.—On Tuesday, March 29, at Bridgeport Conn., infant son of William and Sillie Clark. Funeral private. COOLIDGE.—On March 30, Catherine, widow of Ed

ward Coolidge.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday, April 2, at her late residence, 253 West 44th st., at 10:30 A. M.
CEOUTHERS,—Entered into rest at his home, Astoria, L. I., on Tuesday evening, March 29, 1892, William Crouthers, aged 72 years. Priends are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 73 Main st., on Friday evening.

April 1, at 8 o'clock. Interment private, Saturda DE BLOIS,-On March 31, 1892, in New York, Joh Tremere De Blois, aged 41 years and 5 months. Funeral services at 352 Hancock st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

en Saturday, April 2, at 11 A. M. Friends Boston papers please copy. DON AH DE.-On Wednesday, March 30, at Hartford, Conn.. John Donahue, son of John and Mary Donahue, aged 3 months.

DUNN .- On March 30, at Jersey City, N. J., Bilen Dunn, aged 4 years 1 month and 1 day.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the
residence of her parents, 626 Summit av., on Fri

day afternoon, April 1, at 2 o'clock. ENGLISH,—On March 29, at Hoboken, N. J., John English, sged 31 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 63 Madison at, on Friday afternoo April 1, at 2 o'clock. ENN 16,-In Brocklyn, on March 29, 1892, Mary For

wife of Patrick Ennis and sister of Natthew T. Ford a native of Salinagar, King's county, Ireland, in her Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funers

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence. 3 Wyckoff st., on Friday, April 1, at 9 A.M.; thence to St. Paul's Church, Court and Congress sts., where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul, Interment in Cemetery of the Holy Cross. FERRIS.—On Wednesday, March 30, at Mianus, Conn., Capt. Stephen Warring Ferris, son of Samue D. Ferris, aged 25 years.

GAPPNEY .- On March 31, 1892, at Noroton, Conn. Michael Gaffney, aged 71 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from bit late residence on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock Interment at Springdale. GRAPJE. On March 30, at Jersey City, N. J. Wil

liam Grafje, aged 32 years 6 months and 5 days.

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MANNABRY.—On March 50, at Meriden, Conn. Dennis Hannabry, aged 68 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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Funeral services will be held at her late residence 408 Manhattan av., on Friday evening, April 1, at 8 o'clock. Interment private.

HART.-Suddenly, of heart failure, at his residence, 43 West 47th st., on Taesday, March 29, 1892, the Rev. Abram B. Hart.
The funeral services will be held at the Church of the Heavenly Rest. 5th av., above 45th st., on Friday

morning, at 11:45 o'clock. HARVEY,-On March 28, 1892, at Jersey City, N. J., John H. Harvey, aged 42 years. MENDERSON .- On March 30, Henry Henderson

Services at his late residence, 915 7th av., at 1 o'clock, Saturday, April 2, HOMLICHER,-On Thursday, March 31, Mrs. Ma

ria Anna Homlicher, aged 59 years and 11 months at 88 Taylor st., Brooklyn. Funeral Snuday, 2 P. M., from her late residence. HORRIGAN,—On March 30, at Hoboken, N. J., Mrs. Ann Horrigan, aged 55 years.

HOYT.-On Tuesday, March 29, at Bridgeport, Conn Percy D. Hoyt of 199 East Main st., aged 25 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence on Friday afternoon.

MOYT.—In East Norwalk, on the 30th ult., Stanley

Notice of funeral hereafter.

H. Hoyt, son of Mrs. Rachel Hoyt, aged 9 years and 3 months. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his mother, Core at., on Saturday after

noon at 2 o'clock.

JOHNSON,—On Tuesday, March 29, at Hartford,
Coun, Edward A., son of Edward A. and Mary Johnson, aged 6 years 1 month and 19 days. KIFFA.-On March 27, 1892, at Hoboken, Frank

Kiffs, aged 89 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 402 2d st., on Friday afternoon at 2 KEEPE,-On March 80, 1892, at Hoboken, N. J., Mary

Keefe, aged 47 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 71 Clinton st.; on Friday, April 1, a 9 o'clock A. M.

**EREPATRICK,-On March 31, 1892, at Secan

cus, N.J., Jane Kirkpatrick, aged 24 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence at Secaucus, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LEE -On Tuesday, March 29, at Bridgeport, Conn.

Abel Lee, aged 32 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 20 Courtland st., on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. LINELEY .- On Tuesday, March 29, at Branford

Conn., Martha P. Linsley, aged 75 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral on Friday
afternoon at 8 o'clock from Trinity Church. wife of Daniel Loughran. Funeral from her late residence, 136 East 26th st., on Saturday, April 2, at 1:30 P. M. Interment in Cal-

MACHONALD.—At the St. James Hotel, Jackson ville, Fla., March 27, Isabella P. W. Macdonald daughter of David L. and Mary P. Wintringbam and

Funeral services to be held at her late residence. 78 Summit av., Jersey City, N. J., at 1 P. M., Friday, April 1. Interment at the convenience of the

MANY .-- On March 30, at Wilton, Conn., Mary Many aged 78 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her lat-

residence, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. MARSHE,—At her residence, Morisiown, N. J., March 30, 1892, Elizabeth Crane, widow of Joseph H. Marsh of Schooley's Mountain, N. J., and daugh-ter of Ross Crane, deceased, of Hacketstown, N. J., Funeral from her residence, 86 Maple av., Saturday morning, April 2, at 11 o'clock. A private car will be attached to the 9 o'clock train from the foot o Christopher and Barclay sts. Intermit private

Please omit flowers.

MORRIS,—On March 30, '92, at Jersey City, N. J., Aledia Morris, aged 82 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 140 Clinton av., West Hoboken, or

Friday, April 1, at 20 clock.

McGEE.—On Wednesday, March 30, Elizabeth A
wife of James McGee, in the 61st year of her age. Funeral services Saturday morning. April 2, at 11 o'clock, at her late residence, 10 Willow av., North Plainfield, N. J. Kindly omit flowers. Train leaves

noot of Liberty st. 10 A. M.

MCKINNIE.—On Wednesday, March 30, at Bridgeport, Conn., John McKinnie, aged 54 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his
late residence, 63 Cedar st., on Friday forenoon at
8:50 o'clock, and from 8t. Mary's Church at 9
o'clock. foot of Liberty st. 10 A. M.

NEWBERRY,-On Wednesday, March 80, at Wapping. Conn., Malcolm W., only son of Thomas and Lillian J. Newberry, aged by years. VOTT.—On Wednesday. March 30, at Hartford, Conn., Mrs. Nott. wife of Leonard H. Nott. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her lat-

residence, 47 Morgan st., on Friday.
*UNBAUM...On Wednesday, March 30, Jack, beloved son of David and Hattle Nusbaum, aged 3 years and 5 months. Funeral on Friday moraing at 10 o'clock at 164 East 72d st. Funeral private. Brooklyn and Albany. N. Y., papers please copy.

SEGOOD.—On Wednesday, March 30, at Springfield.

Mass. William T. Osgood, aged 42 years.
Interment at Cambridge, Mass.
O'BRINE.—On Wednesday, March 30, at Hartford. Conn., John, infant son of Cornelius and Mary O'Brine. Funeral private.

PARMELEE,—At Port Washington, L. I., on March

28, of pneumonia, Horaco J. Parmelee, aged 45 years.

PIEMCE.—On Wednesdy, March 30, 1892, Bridget Wheeler, beloved wife of Patrick R. Piece, in her

530 year. Relatives and friends are invited to allend the funeral from her late residence, Grant et. and Clove road, Flatbush, thence to the Church of the Holy Cross, Saturday, April 2, at 9:30 A. M., Interment in Holy Cross Cemetery.

POMEROY.--In Norwalk, on the Slat uit, Fannis

E., wife of Penton Pomeroy, aged 28 years. Priends are invited to attend the funeral from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery. EEEED,-On Wednesday, March 30, Henry R. Reed, aged 75 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral

services from his late residence, 1,052 Bedford av Friday evening. April 1. at 8 o'clock. Intermen

Coan . Benjamin A. Russell. Notice of funeral hereafter Walter II. Schmidt, son of Arno Schmidt, aged residence of his father, 47 Hoorsem ar., on Frid.

April 1, at 2 P. M.
SHANLEY.—On Wednesday, March 30, at New Haven, Conn., Stephen Shanley of York 21.
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SMETH.—On March 30, 1892, at Jersey City, R. J.,

Thomas J. Smith, aged 32 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his
late residence, 41 Atlantic st., on Friday, April 1, as

e'clock 2 P. M. TUCK ER, -On Wednesday, March 30, at Williman-

tic. Com., Annie Tucker, aged (3 years.

TYLER, On March 30, 1802, at Jersey City Heights,
N. J., Michael Tyler.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his
late residence, 68 Water av., on Saturday, April 2,
at 9 o'clock A. M., and from st. Joseph's Church as

10 o'clock, WANH BURN, -On Wednesday, March 30, Frances Hall Lindsly, widow of the Rev. Edward A. Washburn. Funeral at Calvary Church on Friday, April 1, at

WEED,-In West Norwalk, on the 30th ult., Isaac Wood, aged 82 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of John Weed on Friday afternoon at 3

WILSON,-On Tuesday, March 29, at Springfield, Mass., John A. Wilson, aged 68 years.
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